



Appl. No. 09/912,448  
Amendment dated November 26, 2003  
Reply to Office action of August 26, 2003

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Application No. : 09/912,448 Confirmation No. 4447  
Applicant : Wilson *et al.*  
Filed : July 26, 2001  
Group Art Unit : 1761  
Examiner : Steven L. Weinstein  
  
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Customer No. : 25295

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**AMENDMENT: RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 26, 2003, please amend the above-identified application. It is believed that this amendment places the application in better consideration for examination and that therefore entry is appropriate. Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on Page 6 of this paper.